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NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS -- Sovetskaya Litva, No 40, 18 Feb 49

There are 49 newspapers and periodicals published in Lithuanian SSR with a total circulation exceeding 650,000. Tivesa, one of the newspapers, has a circulation in excess of all newspapers which were published in bourgeois Lithuania.

BOOK ON RIVER TRANSPORT CRITICIZED -- Rechnoy Transport, No 22, 18 Mar 49

The book Ekonomika rechnogo transporta (Economics of River Transport) by Professor S. V. Bernshteyn-Kogan, assisted by S. P. Blank and B. S. Slivovskiy, Candidates in Economic Sciences, was published by the Ministry of River Fleet USSR in late 1948. It is guilty of distortion of Marxist teaching about transport, by-passing the question of complex problems of river transport, and advancing the old geographic theories condemned by the Bolshevik Party and Marxist-Leninist science. Bernshteyn-Kogan has praised foreign systems and belittled Soviet efforts and achievements in river transport.

For allowing the book to be published, the following are also at fault: Sutyrin, director of publication for Ministry of River Transport; Komogortsev, chief editor; and Eberlin, managing editor.

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